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NOTICE OF FINAL AMENDMENT TO INTERNAL OPERATING PROCEDURE III

On April 10, 2006, this court amended Internal Operating Procedure III, on an immediate basis, to take account of the increased fee for docketing a case on appeal or review, or docketing any other proceeding, in a court of appeals. At the same time, the court solicited comments. No comments were received.

The court hereby provides notice of the final adoption of the amendments made on April 10, 2006. A copy of Internal Operating Procedure III, with the amendments incorporated, is attached.

June 20, 2006 Richard Cushing Donovan

Internal Operating Procedure III. Initial Procedures

A. Appeals, Petitions for Review and Fees. In cases appealed from the district court, the notice of appeal is filed in the district court in accordance with the Fed. R. App. P. and the combined docketing and filing fees are paid to the district court clerk. In administrative agency cases and petitions for mandamus, the docketing fee is paid to the Clerk of the Court of Appeals at the time the petition is filed in the Court of Appeals. The relevant fees can be found in the Schedule of Fees posted on this court's website at www.cal.uscourts.gov.